

GRANTS FOR STUDENTS AT INDEPENDENT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION
FY 2003

	Number of Institutions	Number of Students	Funds Awarded
Tuition Equalization Grant Program – State Funds			
Independent Senior Colleges and Universities	38	33,474	\$ 79,822,876
Independent Junior Colleges	2	371	776,046
Independent Health-Related Institutions	2	579	1,449,704
<i>Totals</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>34,424</i>	<i>\$ 82,048,626</i>
<i>Average Award</i>			<i>\$ 2,33</i>
The Tuition Equalization Grant Program provides financial need-based awards to students attending independent institutions. Award amounts may not exceed the student's need, the additional tuition charges the student faces as a result of attending an independent institution instead of a public institution, or 50 percent of the annual appropriation made for students attending public institutions, whichever is the least.			
Leveraging Educational Assistance Program (TEG-LEAP) – Federal Funds			
Independent Senior Colleges and Universities	38	965	\$ 810,836
Independent Junior Colleges	27	10	8,028
Independent Health-Related Institutions	2	16	13,750
<i>Totals</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>991</i>	<i>\$ 832,614</i>
<i>Average Award</i>			<i>\$ 840</i>
LEAP funds are provided by the federal government. In order for a student at an independent institution to receive a LEAP Grant, he or she must first receive a state award through the Tuition Equalization Grant program.			

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Supplemental Leveraging Educational Assistance Program (TEG-SLEAP) – Federal Funds			
Independent Senior Colleges and Universities	33	3,454	\$ 3,810,691
Independent Junior Colleges	1	98	55,463
Independent Health-Related Institutions	2	217	146,281
<i>Totals</i>	36	3,769	\$ 4,012,435
<i>Average Award</i>			\$ 1,065
SLEAP funds are provided by the federal government. In order for a student at an independent institution to receive a SLEAP Grant, he or she must first receive a state award through the Tuition Equalization Grant program.			